



PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
ÎLE-DU-PRINCE-ÉDOUARD

COAT OF ARMS ACT REGULATIONS

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COAT OF ARMS ACT
Chapter C-10.1
REGULATIONS

Pursuant to section 6 of the *Coat of Arms Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, C-10.1, Council made the following regulations:

1. Definitions

In these regulations

- (a) “**Act**” means the *Coat of Arms Act*;
- (b) “**Armorial Bearings**” means the Armorial Bearings of Prince Edward Island as described in subsection 1(1) of the Act and illustrated in Schedule A of the Act;
- (c) “**Clerk**” means the Clerk of the Executive Council;
- (d) “**Shield of Arms**” means the Shield of Arms of Prince Edward Island as described in subsection 2(1) of the Act and illustrated in Schedule B of the Act;
- (e) “**use**”, in respect of the Armorial Bearings or Shield of Arms, includes the assumption, display or reproduction of the Armorial Bearings or the Shield of Arms.
(EC694/02)

2. Authorized uses of Armorial Bearings and Shield of Arms

The Armorial Bearings and the Shield of Arms may be used, without the written permission of the Clerk, as follows:

- (a) as a design or part of a design on stationery or decorations used by the Office of the Lieutenant Governor, the Office of the Premier, the Executive Council Office, the Office of a Member of the Executive Council, or the Office of a Member of the Legislative Assembly;
- (b) on documents or forms of the Executive Council or of a Cabinet Committee;
- (c) on proclamations or notices announcing commemorative measures or instructions of public interest when issued, undertaken or sponsored by the Government of Prince Edward Island;
- (d) on notices or orders of compliance or performance;
- (e) on certificates, permits or other documents required by the laws of Prince Edward Island to be registered;
- (f) on taxation or property records;

- (g) on insignia of exalted distinction conferred by the Government of Prince Edward Island;
- (h) on judicial or court orders and directives;
- (i) on official reports or documents required by statute to be tabled in the Legislative Assembly;
- (j) on badges or other decorations worn to identify uniformed law enforcement officers or officers of the court;
- (k) in any office or facility housing a Government of Prince Edward Island department or agency or used for judicial or quasi-judicial or legislative or quasi-legislative proceedings;
- (l) in any display featuring all the Armorial Bearings of Canada and her provinces and territories. *(EC694/02)*

3. Written permission

- (1) The Clerk may, on application, grant written permission authorizing a proposed use of the Armorial Bearings or the Shield of Arms other than a use permitted under section 2, if
 - (a) subject to subsection (2), the proposed use is not for a commercial or business purpose;
 - (b) the proposed use is, in the opinion of the Clerk, appropriate for a symbol of provincial government identification and authority; and
 - (c) the applicant agrees to use only the design prescribed by Schedule A or Schedule B of the Act and to obtain artwork from the Government's authorized agent.

Commercial use

- (2) The Clerk may grant written permission under subsection (1) authorizing a proposed use of the Armorial Bearings or the Shield of Arms for commercial or business purposes, if
 - (a) the proposed use is for the production of educational materials to be used in an academic program;
 - (b) the proposed use is free from any implication that the commercial or business venture involves or has the support, approval or accreditation of the Government of Prince Edward Island;
 - (c) the proposed use is for the production of unique, exclusive or limited edition products having as a theme, symbols of Canada and her provinces and territories, and all other jurisdictions have granted permission to the applicant for use of their symbols; or
 - (d) the proposed use is, in the opinion of the Clerk, within the spirit and intent of these regulations.

Written application

- (3) An application referred to subsection (1) must be made in writing to the Clerk and must explain and illustrate the proposed use for which permission is requested.

Records of permissions granted

- (4) The Clerk shall keep a record of any permission granted under this section for use of the Armorial Bearings or the Shield of Arms. *(EC694/02)*

